

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

PATENT

In Re Application of:) Confirmation No. 2863
Johnson) Group Art Unit: 2137
Serial No.: 10/085,895) Examiner: Pearson, David J.
Filed: February 28, 2002) HP Docket: 10017900-1
For: **System and Method for Authenticating**) TKHR Docket: 50830-1430
Session and Other Transactions

TRANSMITTAL OF SUBSTITUTE APPEAL BRIEF

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Sir:

The accompanying Substitute Appeal Brief is submitted in response to the Notification of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief. There are no substantive changes made in the Substantive Appeal Brief. Instead, several of the grounds for rejections to be reviewed have been removed, and headings have been inserted in the Arguments section for the grounds that are listed.

No fee is believed to be due in connection with this submission. If, however, any additional fees are deemed to be payable, you are hereby authorized to charge any such fees to deposit account No. 08-2025.

Respectfully submitted,

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